GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:154
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UPGRADATION OF EMERGENCY FACILITIES IN GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Karnataka has sent a proposal to the Union Government for financial assistance for upgradation and strengthening of emergency facilities in Government Hospitals located on National Highways;

(b) if so, the details of the proposals including the amount of financial assistance sought from the Union Government;

(c) whether the Union Government has considered the proposal;

(d) if so, the time by which the financial assistance is likely to be released; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS)

(a) to (e): State Govt. of Karnataka have informed that they have sent two proposals under this scheme in respect of under-mentioned Hospitals:-
1. Jayachamarajendra District Hospital, Hassan.
2. General Hospital, Nelamangala.

Proposal at Sl.No.1 above, has been considered and an amount of Rs.1.50 crores has already been provided to the State Govt. for establishment of a trauma care centre in March, 2005.

Proposal at Sl.No.2 above seeking financial assistance of Rs.58.78 lakhs has also been considered but has not been found to be sustainable/feasible as General Hospital, Nelamangala is only a 50 bedded Hospital and does not have enough manpower/infrastructure for establishing a trauma centre.